

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET  
REGISTRATION SERVICE  
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Date February 4, 1988

Full name Ronald Beard  
(no initials if you can possibly get full name)

Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City Alexandria State Virginia ZIP Code 22309

Date of Birth March 1944 (This is important and should be exact.)

Approximate age 43 years (To be used ONLY when date of birth is not known.)

Religion \_\_\_\_\_ Nationality American

Occupation Government Research Scientist

Education \_\_\_\_\_

Weight 170 lbs. Height 6 ft. 1 in. Race White

Color of hair Brown Color of eyes \_\_\_\_\_

Outstanding characteristics or interests Tall and thin; Heavy pipe smoker

Married or single Married Children \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's name \_\_\_\_\_

Scouting connections:

Unit No.	City	State	Position	Date registered	Date resigned
Troop 993	Alexandria	Virginia	MC(9/80); SA(1/82); SM(1/83); CC(1/87); MC(11/87)		
Special recognition	Scout Woodbadge 11/12/85			Resigned from Troop 993(11/87)	

Suspended or denied registration for following reasons: Judgement by County Juvenile & Domestic Court Judge that Mr. Beard is to have no contact with any juvenile other than his own due to child sexual abuse charges not related to Scouting.  
SPECIFY THE FACTS WHICH LEAD YOU TO RECOMMEND DENIAL OF REGISTRATION, AND LIST ATTACHED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (STATE ONLY KNOWN FACTS, NOT RUMOR, CONJECTURE, OR SPECULATION):

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NOTED

FEB 12 1988

FEB 29 '88

F. STARON

JOSEPH I. AMELIM

Signed Paul R. [Signature]  
SCOUT EXECUTIVE

Council National Capital Area

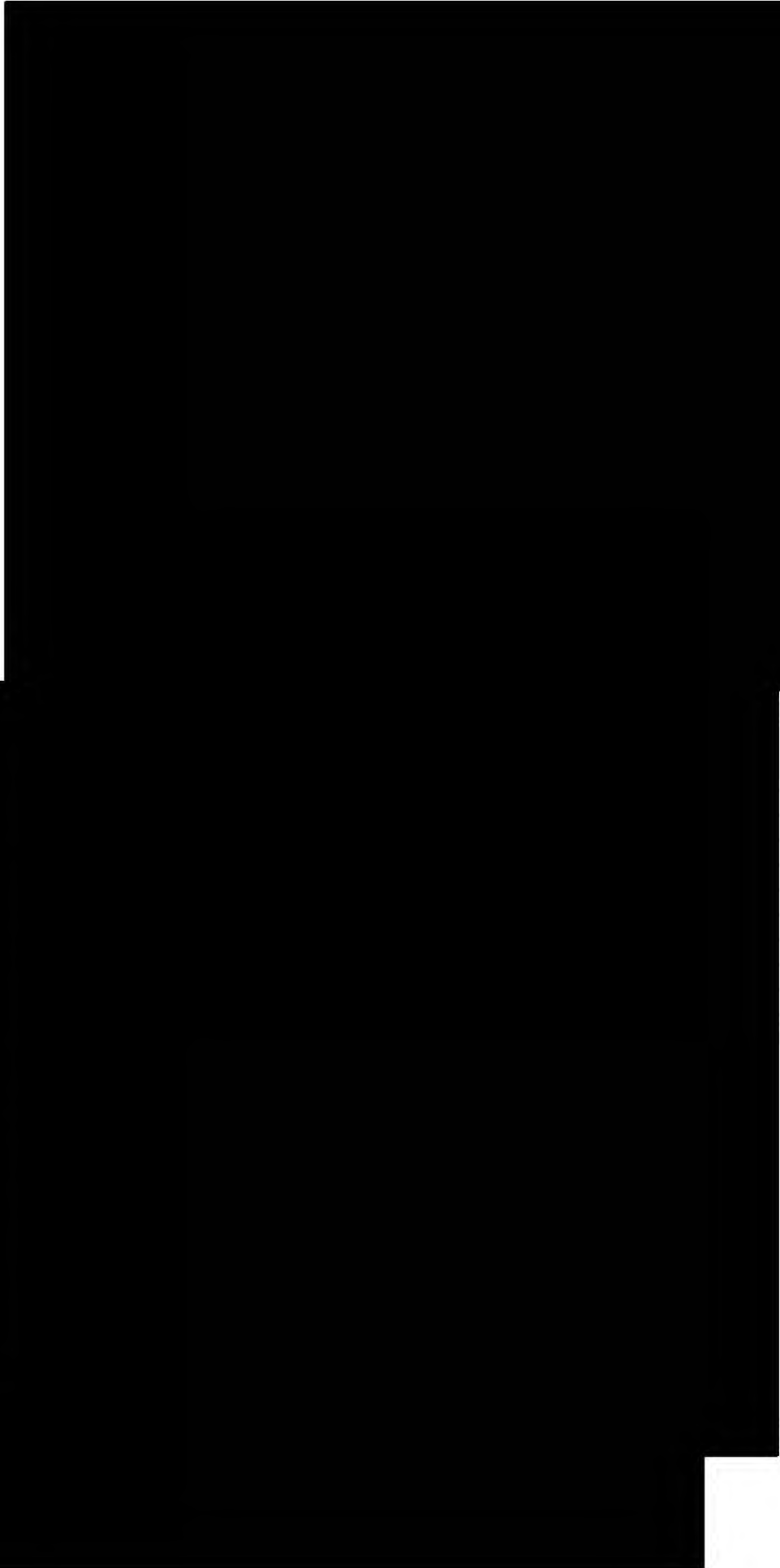
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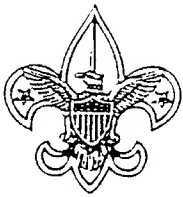
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA  
TRANSMITTAL REPORT

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BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

COUNCIL

No. 82 Date 6/20/88

REGISTRATION, SUBSCRIPTION  
AND STATISTICAL SERVICEREFER TO YOUR TRANSMITTAL REPORT NO. 880610☒ **CREDIT NOTICE**☐ **DEBIT NOTICE**REGISTRATION Unit No. S-0993 term \_\_\_\_\_ months

- ☐ 1 Leaders (\_\_\_\_\_ prepaid) @ \$\_\_\_\_\_ each. Received \$ 5.00 required \$ 0  
(\_\_\_\_\_ transfer)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Members (\_\_\_\_\_ transfer) @ \$\_\_\_\_\_ each. Received \$\_\_\_\_\_ required \$\_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ \_\_\_\_\_ Members \_\_\_\_\_ Leaders listed on transmittal form \_\_\_\_\_ on application
- ☐ Transfers must pay \$.50 each. Expiration given \_\_\_\_\_ We have \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Not on transmittal report ☐ Duplicate entry ☐ No application received.
- ☐ Correction made per your letter/telephone call \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ No reply to our defective registration notice dated \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Returning \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Under Age ☐ Over Age

**BOYS' LIFE** Term \_\_\_\_\_ months

- ☐ Paid for \_\_\_\_\_ subscriptions; listed \_\_\_\_\_ subscriptions Received \$\_\_\_\_\_ Required \$\_\_\_\_\_
- Incorrect fees: \_\_\_\_\_ subscriptions. ☐ Back issues are not available.
- ☐ Please check attached copy. Pay debit—Use credit or return with copy of the roster showing corrections needed.

Please add or subtract the amount(s) indicated on your next transmittal in the proper column(s) and return the original.

**BILLING**

Tiger Cub	\$ _____		
Cub Scout	\$ _____		
Boy Scout	\$ _____	Leader	\$ _____
Varsity Scout	\$ _____		Total \$ _____
Explorer	\$ _____	Boys' Life	\$ _____
Career Awareness Explorer	\$ _____		

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Boy Scout	\$ _____	Leader	\$ <u>5.00</u>
Varsity Scout	\$ _____		Total \$ <u>5.00</u>
Explorer	\$ _____	Boys' Life	\$ _____
Career Awareness Explorer	\$ _____		

March 2, 1988

Mr. Paul Davis  
Scout Executive  
National Capital Area Council, Mo. 92

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Ronald Beard

Dear Paul:

Thank you for the detailed information sent concerning the above Scouter.  
This case has been reviewed with our attorney and is now on our permanent  
Confidential File.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration Service

PE/eak

cc: Northeast Region

READY TO FILE  
MAR 02 1988  
ERIN O'RILEY

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National Capital Area Council  
Boy Scouts of America

January 5, 1988

Mr. Paul I. Ernst  
Director of Registration  
SUM No. S-108  
Boy Scouts of America  
1325 Walnut Hill Lane  
Irving, Texas 75015-2079

Dear Paul:

This letter will serve as a formal request to have Ronald Beard of [redacted] Alexandria, Virginia 22309, currently registered with Troop 993 sponsored by the Wesley United Methodist Church be placed in the confidential file.

The attached statements verify the validity of this request and confirm that Ronald Beard has conducted himself in a manner that is unacceptable to the Boy Scouts of America. In addition to the statements, a telephone call was received yesterday from Detective Daniel Collhardt, Child Services Unit, Fairfax County Police Department. Detective Collhardt confirmed the indictment and conviction of Ronald Beard as charged.

The Confidential Record Sheet will be forwarded as soon as requested data has been obtained.

Sincerely,

*Paul R. Davis, Jr.*  
Paul R. Davis, Jr.  
Scout Executive

CO 82 50993  
ID #081201

PRD: jbp

cc: Kenneth W. Davis, Area Director  
Carl L. Gell, General Counsel

Enclosure

*Added to CF file  
deleted from National  
computer  
1-11-88  
cm*



Serving the Youth of Washington, D.C., and Seventeen Surrounding Counties of Maryland and Virginia

Member Agency of United Way of the National Capital Area

United Givers Fund: Fredericksburg / Spotsylvania / Stafford • United Way of Frederick County, Inc. • United Way of Calvert County

Dahlgren United Givers Fund, Inc. • United Way of Culpeper, Inc. • Marine Corps Development and Education Command United Fund

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## RONALD BEARD INFO

- 18 Dec 1987 Bob Chase (Scoutmaster of Troop 993) made Tom Jansen (District Executive) aware of child sexual abuse charges involving Ronald Beard (committee member of Troop 993). Bob Chase provided this info in person at the Marriott Scout Service Center and provided Tom Jansen with a letter relating details of the case (Attachment 1).
- 18 Dec 1987 Tom Jansen forwarded Chase letter and cover memo (Attachment 2) to Paul Davis (Scout Executive).
- 21 Dec 1987 Paul Davis requested Tom Jansen to obtain reports from the Court House (Attachment 3).
- 22 Dec 1987 Bob Chase telephoned Tom Jansen. He has the current membership card of Ronald Beard (this card was never given to Mr. Beard) and will mail it to Tom Jansen at the Marriott Scout Service Center. Chase confirmed the court date of Mr. Beard as being Feb. 23, 1987 and also reported that the county investigator of the case was Bill Wildon [REDACTED].
- 23 Dec 1987 Tom Jansen visited Juvenile and Domestic Relations District Court, Nineteenth Judicial District, Fairfax County, Virginia. He identified himself as a district executive of the Boy Scouts of America and requested information on the Ronald Beard case, but was denied. He completed a Request To Inspect Record (Attachment 4) of Ronald Beard, but was denied. Mr. Jansen then talked in person with the presiding judge of the case of Feb. 23, 1987, Michael J. Valentine (Chief Judge, Juvenile & Domestic Relations Court, 19th Circuit, [REDACTED] Fairfax, VA 22030; [REDACTED]). Mr. Valentine confirmed that on Feb. 23, 1987, he instructed Ronald Beard in court that Mr. Beard is to have no contact with any juvenile other than his own. Mr. Valentine also reported that the defense lawyer for Mr. Beard was Stewart Economou [REDACTED] Alexandria, VA [REDACTED]. Please note that requests to determine the nature of the charges against Mr. Beard and information on what charges he was found guilty of were denied. Apparently, information related to child abuse cases are strictly confidential.
- 30 Dec 1987 Tom Jansen forwarded above info to Paul Davis.

(H)

DB 3/1944?

December 18, 1987

DATE 1/85

To Tom Jansen:

To briefly relate my understanding of the situation  
 surrounding Mr. Ronald Beard ~~Former~~ <sup>T 993</sup> Committee  
 (Fall 86?) <sup>Former Committee Chairman, Scatmaster</sup>  
<sup>Current Committee member</sup>

He was arrested on some charge related to child sexual  
 abuse - not related to BSA. His court date was  
 sometime around FEB. 87. My assumption, based  
 on his comments to me, is that he pled guilty to  
 a lesser charge and is on one year probation.

He has not been in contact ~~with~~ with the scouts  
 and has not attended any committee meetings or any  
 meeting, outing or ceremony.

I did not mention this earlier because of his presumed  
 innocence and because of the ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> ~~big~~ <sup>big</sup> depression he was  
 in a year ago.

If you have any questions about  
 this please call me.

Bd Chase

T 993 SM

of  
 1/85  
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DB 3/1944 22309



12/18/87

Paul

BOB CHASE, SCOUTMASTER OF TROOP 993 IN G.W.  
DISTRICT, STOPPED BY CR OFFICE THIS MORNING &  
SHARED THE ATTACHED INFO WITH ME — ABOUT  
RONALD BRAD (MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE OF TROOP 993) &  
CHICAGO SEXUAL ABUSE CHARGES.

~~MR.~~ MR. BRAD HAS NOT BEEN ALLOWED TO BE ACTIVE  
WITH THE TROOP SINCE THESE CHARGES & EVENTS — ACCORDING  
TO BOB CHASE — BUT I CHECKED CR REGISTRATION  
RECORDS & MR. BRAD IS STILL REGISTERED WITH  
B.S.A. (INFO HIGHLIGHTED IN YELLOW):

PLEASE ADVISE ON WHAT MY INVOLVEMENT ON  
THIS MATTER SHOULD BE. YOU MAY ALSO WANT TO TALK  
BOB CHASE FOR ANY ADDITIONAL INFO.

TOM

(ATTACHMENT 3)

## INSTANT MEMO

To: Toupin  
From: Paul Davis  
Subject: Ronald Beard

Date: 12/21/87

I would like you to go  
to the Court House to  
see if you can obtain  
a report that would  
confirm this statement.

Upon receipt of this,  
we will start proceeding  
with BSA Nat. Office.

When was he inducted?

ROOM 73  
BASEMENT  
SERVICE UNIT  
SUPPORT STAFF  
COUNSELING

REQUEST TO INSPECT RECORD

I, the undersigned, hereby request permission to inspect the record of RONALD BEARD and in support of this request state as follows: [REDACTED]

- I The specific document(s) I seek to inspect is/are CHARGES RELATED TO (HLL) SEXUAL ABUSE - ARRESTED IN THE FALL OF 1986; COURT DATE WAS FEB. 23, 1987
- II The reason(s) I seek to inspect the record is/are THIS INDIVIDUAL IS CURRENTLY A REGISTERED VOLUNTEER OF THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA - WOULD LIKE TO FIND OUT WHAT HE WAS ACCUSED OF ~~THE~~ AND THE DISPOSITION OF THIS CASE
- III Under Section 16.1-305 of the Virginia Code, I am (check A or B)

- A. Entitled to inspect the record because I am (check appropriate category):
  - ☒ A representative of an agency providing supervision, having legal custody, or furnishing evaluation or treatment of the child ordered or requested by the Court.
  - ☐ An attorney for a party, who is \_\_\_\_\_.
  - ☐ An adult Probation Officer preparing a presentence report on the subject after he/she has been found guilty of an offense in the Circuit Court/ Parole Officer doing a background report for Parole Board.
  - ☐ A party to a proceeding in this Court.
- B. Asking the Court to enter an order allowing me to inspect the record in accordance with subsection 4 of paragraph A. I also ask that the Clerk of the Court send notice of my request to the subject of the record and other parties and docket it for a hearing.

I am aware that I may be guilty of an offense under Section 16.1-309 of the Virginia Code if I disclose, make use of or knowingly permit the use of identifying information concerning a juvenile who is before the Court pursuant to Section 16.1-241, paragraph A, subsections 1 through 5 of the Virginia Code.

K. Thomas [Signature]  
Signature  
Boy Scouts of America  
[REDACTED]  
BETHESDA, MD 20814-3897